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B. FIELDS SEARCHED

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C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

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| Y | US 6,036,480 A (HUGHES et al) 14 March 2000 (14.03.2000), see entire document. | 1-14 and 20-26 |
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